

Holocaust Memorial Council: Representatives Waxman, Giffords, Klein (FL), LaTourette, and Cantor.

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**Senate Messages:** Messages received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today appear on page 425.

**Senate Referrals:** S. 2799 was held at the desk and S. 2968 was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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**Quorum Calls—Votes:** There were no Yea and Nay votes, and there were no Recorded votes. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 12 noon and adjourned at 12:08 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

## Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

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## NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D43)

S. 2949, to amend section 1113 of the Social Security Act to provide authority for increased fiscal year 2010 payments for temporary assistance to United States citizens returned from foreign countries, to provide necessary funding to avoid shortfalls in the Medicare cost-sharing program for low-income qualifying individuals. Signed on January 27, 2010. (Public Law 111–127)

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## CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of February 1 through February 6, 2010

### Senate Chamber

On *Monday*, at approximately 3 p.m., Senate will resume consideration of the nomination of M. Patricia Smith, of New York, to be Solicitor for the Department of Labor, and after a period of debate, vote on the motion to invoke cloture thereon at 5:30 p.m.

During the balance of the week, Senate may consider any cleared legislative and executive business.

### Senate Committees

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

**Committee on Armed Services:** February 2, to hold hearings to examine the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2011, the Future Years Defense Program, the 2011 Quadrennial Defense Review, and the 2011 Missile

Defense Review; to be immediately followed by a hearing to examine the “Don’t Ask, Don’t Tell” policy, 9 a.m., SD–G50.

**Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:** February 2, to hold hearings to examine prohibiting certain high-risk investment activities by banks and bank holding companies, 2:30 p.m., SD–538.

February 4, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the implications of the “Volcker Rules” for financial stability, 10 a.m., SD–538.

**Committee on the Budget:** February 2, to hold hearings to examine the President’s proposed budget request for fiscal year 2011, 10 a.m., SD–608.

February 4, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the President’s proposed budget request and revenue proposals for fiscal year 2011, 10 a.m., SD–608.

**Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:** February 4, to hold hearings to examine financial services and products, focusing on the role of the Federal Trade Commission in protecting consumers, 2:30 p.m., SR–253.

**Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:** February 2, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Larry Persily, of Alaska, to be Federal Coordinator for Alaska Natural Gas Transportation Projects, and Patricia A. Hoffman, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Energy for Electricity Delivery and Energy Reliability, 2:30 p.m., SD–366.

February 4, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the President’s proposed budget request for fiscal year 2011 for the Department of Energy, 10 a.m., SD–366.

**Committee on Environment and Public Works:** February 4, Subcommittee on Superfund, Toxics and Environmental Health, to hold hearings to examine current science on public exposures to toxic chemicals, 10 a.m., SD–406.

**Committee on Finance:** February 2, to hold hearings to examine the President’s proposed budget request for fiscal year 2011, 10 a.m., SD–215.

February 3, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the President’s proposed budget request for fiscal year 2011 for health care proposals, 3:30 p.m., SD–215.

February 4, Full Committee, to continue hearings to examine the President’s proposed budget request for fiscal year 2011, 10 a.m., SD–215.

**Committee on Foreign Relations:** February 2, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Donald E. Booth, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia, Bisa Williams, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Niger, and Beatrice Wilkinson Welters, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago, all of the Department of State, 10:30 a.m., SD–419.

February 2, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Rosemary Anne DiCarlo, of the District of Columbia, to be Representative of the United States of America to the Sessions of the General Assembly of the United Nations, during her tenure of service as Deputy Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations, and to be the Deputy Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations, with the rank and status of Ambassador and the Deputy